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MEMORANDUM FOR HENRY A. KISSINGER

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FROM: Marshall Wright

SUBJECT:

David Newsom's Speech on U.S. African Policy.

I mentioned in my earlier memo our plans to use a speech by David Newsom as the device by which to close the circle on the recent decisions in regard to the implementation of the arms embargo on South Africa and the sanctions on Rhodesia.

Attached is the text of the speech. It is, I think, about as low key as it can possibly be, and still accomplish its purpose of getting us out of the shadows. It has received the Secretary of State's approval. (You will be interested to know that he also said to be sure it had been cleared with the White House staff.)

I am guardedly optimistic, but nervous.

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